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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Status Request; and
- (3) A copy of the Application Data Sheet and the Transaction History Sheet from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office PAIR System.

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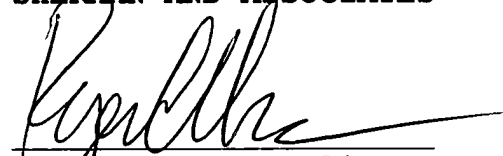
Applicants respectfully request a report of the status of the subject application.

A utility application under the provisions of U.S.C. 371 was filed on December 22, 2004. The application was assigned U.S. Publication No. US 2005/0235777 A1 and was published on October 27, 2005. To date, Applicant has received no further communication from the Office concerning this application. Attached are copies of the Application Data Sheet and the Transaction History Sheet from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office PAIR System.

In view of the foregoing, Applicants respectfully request a status report on the subject application.

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